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Amendments to the Drawings:

The attached sheets of drawings includes changes to the following figures:

Fig. 3 to include the wording "TRANSPORT IC" into box 34; and

No new substantive matter has been added to any of the above-identified figures.

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Replacement Sheet

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REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

This amendment is in response to the Notice of Allowance mailed on September 30, 2004. Applicant respectfully requests that the foregoing drawing changes be entered prior to payment of the issue fee.

Conclusion

Applicant respectfully requests that a timely Notice of Allowance be issued in this case.

Respectfully submitted,

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